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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Michio TADA, et al.)	Confirmation No.: 9219
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Application No.: 10/657,130)	Group Art Unit: 3653
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Filed: September 9, 2003)	Examiner: T. Morrison
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For: SHEET TRANSPORTING APPARATUS)	**Mail Stop Amendment**
AND SHEET PROCESSING APPARATUS)	
USING THE SAME)	

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Customer Window
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 27, 2006, the period

for response to which extends through July 27, 2006, enclosed is a corrected and complete copy

of the Amendment and Request for Reconsideration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 originally filed on

September 28, 2005. This corrected copy includes a complete listing of all claims, including the

complete text and proper status identifiers of all claims, which complies with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121

and M.P.E.P. § 714.22. Please note that the undersigned did not sign the enclosed corrected

copy, as she originally corrected the signature page on October 19, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: July 6, 2006   By: _____

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Randolph Building
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 29, 2005, the period of response to which extends through September 29, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows: